Docket No.

239658US23X

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hideo FUJIWARA, et al.

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FOR:

CPP SPIN-VALVE ELEMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Letter Submitting Replacement Drawing Sheets; Replacement Drawing Sheets (2); Additional documents filed herewith: Request for an Extension of Time (3 Months)

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 22, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.